

United States District Court

SOUTHERN

DISTRICT OF

OHIO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WARRANT FOR ARREST

V.

SHAWN L. MEEKS

CASE NUMBER: 2: 10-MJ-127

To: The United States Marshal
and any Authorized United States Officer

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to arrest SHAWN L. MEEKS

Name

and bring him or her forthwith to the nearest magistrate judge to answer a(n)

Indictment

Information

☒ Complaint

Order of Court

Violation Notice

Probation Violation Petition

charging him or her with (brief description of offense)

Knowingly, willfully, and unlawfully possess with intent to manufacture, distribute or dispense a controlled substance, that being cocaine and after being previously convicted of a felony, possessed a firearm, that being a Phoenix Arms Model Raven 25 Auto pistol bearing serial number 3219196

in violation of Title 21 and 18 United States Code, Section(s) 841 (a) (1) and 922(g) (1)Mark R. Abel

Name of Issuing Officer

United States Magistrate Judge

Title of Issuing Officer

Mark R. Abel

Signature of Issuing Officer

Columbus, Ohio

Date and Location

Bail fixed at \$ _____

by _____

Name of Judicial Officer

RETURN

This warrant was received and executed with the arrest of the above-named defendant

DATE RECEIVED

NAME AND TITLE OF ARRESTING OFFICER

SIGNATURE OF ARRESTING OFFICER

DATE OF ARREST

United States District Court

Southern

DISTRICT OF Ohio

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

SHAWN L. MEEKS

CASE NUMBER:

2:10-mj-427

(Name and Address of Defendant)

I, the undersigned complainant being duly sworn state the following is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. On or about June 30, 2010 in Franklin county, in the

Southern

District of Ohio defendant(s) did, (Track Statutory Language of Offense)

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in violation of Title 21 and 18 United States Code, Section(s) 841 (a) (1) and 922 (g) (1).

I further state that I am a(n) FBI SPECIAL AGENT and that this complaint is based on the following facts:

Official Title

See Attached Affidavit hereby incorporated by reference as if fully restated herein.

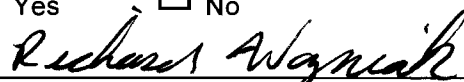
Continued on the attached sheet and made a part hereof:



Yes



No



Signature of Complainant

Richard Wozniak

Special Agent

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence,

June 30, 2010

Date

at

Columbus, Ohio

City and State

Mark R. Abel
Name & Title of Judicial Officer

U.S. Magistrate Judge

Mark R. Abel
Signature of Judicial Officer

A F F I D A V I T

Richard A. Wozniak, Special Agent (SA) of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), United States Department of Justice being duly sworn deposes and states the following:

1. Your affiant has been employed as a Special Agent of the FBI for more than eighteen years. Probable cause exists to show that on or about June 30, 2010, in the Southern District of Ohio, defendant SHAWN L. MEEKS, did knowingly, willfully and unlawfully:

a. Possess with intent to manufacture, distribute or dispense a controlled substance, that being cocaine, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1).

b. After being previously convicted of a felony, possessed a firearm, that being a Phoenix Arms Model Raven 25 Auto pistol bearing Serial Number 3219196, said firearm having previously traveled in interstate commerce in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

2. This affidavit is based upon my own personal knowledge, my review of law enforcement records and my discussion with other law enforcement officers. The information contained in this affidavit does not describe the entirety of this investigation, but sets forth only those facts necessary to establish probable cause.

3. On June 30, 2010, the Columbus Police Department (CPD) executed a state search warrant at MEEKS' residence located at 1201 Rosehill Road, Apartment C in Reynoldsburg, Ohio (herein after referred to as 1201 Rosehill). MEEKS' three preteen age daughters were the only people present when the search warrant was executed.

4. During the search of 1201 Rosehill, law enforcement officers seized the following items in the master bedroom located on the first floor:

a. An off-white rock like substance wrapped in a plastic sandwich bag, weighing approximately 29 grams. This substance field tested positive for cocaine and has been sent to the CPD laboratory for testing. The test results are pending. The substance was seized from between the sheets on the bed. Your affiant was present during the search and observed the seized off-white rock substance. Based upon your affiant's eighteen years experience of working illegal narcotics investigations, your affiant believes the off-white rock like substance is crack cocaine.

b. A Phoenix Arms Model Raven 25 Auto pistol bearing Serial Number 3219196 with a magazine. There was one round chambered in the pistol and five rounds in the magazine. The pistol was found between the mattress and the box springs of the bed.

C. Various caliber ammunition.

5. On June 30, 2010, the Columbus Police Department executed a state search warrant at the residence located at 2794 Howey Road in Columbus, Ohio (herein after referred to as 2794 Howey). This search was conducted prior to the execution of the search warrant at MEEKS' residence located at 1201 Rosehill. MEEKS was present at 2794 Howey when the search was executed.

6. Approximately 30 grams of an off-white rock like substance and three firearms were seized from 2794 Howey. The off-white rock like substance field tested positive for cocaine and has been sent to the CPD laboratory for testing. The test results are pending. Based upon your affiant's eighteen years experience of working illegal narcotics investigations, your affiant believes the off-white rock like substance is crack cocaine. Just prior to the execution of search warrant MEEKS arrived at 2797 Howey in a red Cadillac. A pistol was seized from a hidden compartment in the dash of this vehicle.

7. MEEKS was taken to CPD Headquarters for questioning. After being read and waving his Constitutional Rights, MEEKS provided the following information:

a. MEEKS resides at 1201 Rosehill Road. Several days ago, MEEKS brokered a cocaine deal for a "Nine Pack" (nine ounces of cocaine). MEEKS obtained the cocaine from Jamaican Shorty. MEEKS took out 30 grams of the powder cocaine from the

Nine Pack and had Jamaican Shorty cook it into crack cocaine. This was crack cocaine that was in his bed at 1201 Rosehill Road.

b. MEEKS put the 25 Auto pistol under his bed. The pistol belong to his son. MEEKS took the pistol from his son because he did not want his son to have it.

C. MEEKS knew there was a pistol located in a hidden compartment of the vehicle that he arrived in at 2794 Howey. The vehicle belonged to his wife and his wife kept the pistol for protection.

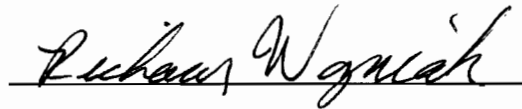
d. MEEKS obtained the various ammunition found at 1201 Rosehill from a friend after a party. MEEKS admitted being a convicted felon and knew that he was not allowed to possess firearms or ammunition.

8. A check conducted through National Crime Information Center (NCIC) listed MEEKS as being convicted on July 20, 2000 of a F3 felony Tampering with Evidence in Franklin County, Ohio. A Google internet check listed Phoenix Arms Company as being located in Ontario, California.

9. Your affiant believes that the foregoing information conclusively establishes that on or about June 30, 2010, in the Southern District of Ohio, defendant SHAWN L. MEEKS, did knowingly, willfully and unlawfully:

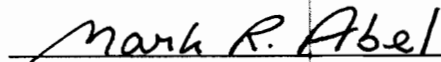
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b. After being previously convicted of a felony, possessed a firearm, that being a Phoenix Arms Model Raven 25 Auto pistol bearing Serial Number 3219196, said firearm having previously traveled in interstate commerce in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).



Richard A. Wozniak
Special Agent
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 1st day of July 2010



Honorable
United States Magistrate Judge